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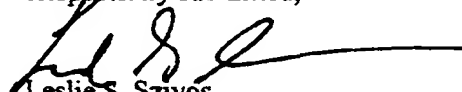
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**LETTER TO THE OFFICIAL DRAFTSMAN**

Sir:

Enclosed herewith are three sheets of corrected drawings which were requested by the Examiner in the Office Action dated November 6, 2002. Specifically, the three enclosed sheets including FIGS 1a, 1b, 2a, 2b, 10 and 11 have been corrected to include proper crosshatching. The proper crosshatching is shown in red ink. The filing of formal drawings with the above corrections will be deferred until the Examiner has approved the changes made to the drawings submitted herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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